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For: GAME PLAYING APPARATUS, AND IN  
PARTICULAR GAME-PLAYING APPARATUS  
INCORPORATING ELECTRIC SHOCK  
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Title

Game-playing apparatus, and in particular game-playing apparatus incorporating electric shock means

**Preliminary Class**

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